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THE VIDETTES.

The Exposé of the Order Creates a Cyclone in Town.

Some Admit Their Membership. Some Deny and Claim Damage Suits Against the Gazette.

Evening Mail.

That there has been a secret political order in Tarrant county known as the "Videttes" is not now a secret, nor has it been for some time, and it has also been known that its objects were to control politics by getting control of the Union Labor element in this county.

THE GAZETTE this morning made a full exposé of the whole concern and named a number of leading Non-Partisans as members of this secret organization, and its publication has set the town literally afire. There has been nothing else hardly talked of on the streets today, and there is no question that the exposé has injured the Non-Partisan ticket. This fact is realized by the leaders of the opposition to Democracy, and they are in their denunciations of the publication. Some say no such organization exists; others that they are not and never were members of it, while others admit that they did join it, but left the ranks on account of the character, objects and aims of the order. The lower part of the town particularly is exercised over the matter, and the word "Videttes" is in the mouth of every one.

"No such thing is needed in free America," says one.

"It savors too much of anarchy," says another.

"That is the game of the Non-Partisans I am done with them," said another. And thus it goes. The whole town is worked up, and politics are taking a new turn.

"Worse than Indiana White Caps," is heard there.

"No klux were respectable when compared with this," says one man.

"Worse than the Loyal League," echoes another.

Desiring to get at the bottom of the whole thing, a Mail man went out and interviewed a number of men who had been charged with belonging to this order. W. E. Fanning, formerly a stalwart supporter of the old People's ticket, was seen, and he did not deny that he had been a member of the "Videttes," but he said he had left it when he saw the objects the order had in view. It was too tough for him. He further stated that the records of the proceedings of the lodge or "inner circle" here had been burned after the election two years ago. No negroes, according to Fanning, were admitted to it—they were barred out. Squire Benbrook, who was an independent candidate for County Treasurer, was barred out of the race by the "Videttes" because he was not a Vidette. Fanning went further and said if he had his way he would go over the county and tell the people all about the concern and fully expose it.

Sam Emerson, who was suspected by a Mail reporter of having been a member of the order of "Videttes," was approached yesterday afternoon, and asked why he had been barred. His answer was:

"Because I got up in a council meeting and said that the whole thing was treacherous."

"You were a member then?"

"Yes I was, and there are lots more in town who were and are yet."

Captain E. D. Daggett, when asked if he was a member, said:

"I am not, and never have been, but if I can get in I will join them. I think from what I read, that it is a good thing. I am going to begin suit against THE GAZETTE, however, for damages."

"For what?"

"For charging that I am a member of this order."

"How can you claim damages if you say it is a good order and you will join it if you get a chance? So long as you think it all right, your mind should not be bothered about it."

"But my mind is bothered and I will make THE GAZETTE sweat for it."

"Why?"

"Well, it has injured me in the community."

J. B. Cobb, who a Mail reporter was informed, was a "Vidette," was seen and he denied that he was a member, but confessed that he knew that such an organization existed in Tarrant county.

The Mail reporter did not see Mayor Broiles, but learned that he denied being a member of the organization by saying that he would join it if he had a chance.

J. H. Robinson, the down town butcher—while never having been accused of being a "Vidette," said he would be if he could get a chance to join the council.

Mr. J. H. Smith, candidate for District Clerk on the Non-Partisan ticket, was seen, and in answer to a question, said:

"Any man who says I am or ever was a member of any secret political organization known as the 'National Order of Videttes,' is a liar, thief and a scoundrel."

"What action do you propose to take in the matter?" asked the reporter.

"I propose to bring suit against THE GAZETTE for libel," was the answer.

A reporter went to the office of Captain Sam Evans, candidate for Congress on the Non-Partisan ticket, the object of the visit being to hear what the Captain had to say in answer to the charges that he was a "Vidette." The gentleman was not in, but from his friends it is learned that he is wrathful over the publication and desires any knowledge of any such organization.

Mr. John Zinn also denies that he is a member of the Videttes, and will appear in a card in THE GAZETTE tomorrow. It is established beyond all doubt, however, that there is in existence in this county such an order as the Videttes, and that it is political in its nature, seeking to control the Union Labor vote in this county. Such being the case, there is no doubt that a revolt in the Non-Partisans will be the result, in fact it has already started.

Ben F. Dwigzins, Non-Partisan candidate for Sheriff, was seen, and in answer to the question, "What do you know about the Videttes?" replied: "I know nothing at all; I have heard nothing of the existence of such an order since THE GAZETTE published the name and by-laws from the Bowie Cross Timbers two years ago, and had forgotten the publication until the same thing appeared in the paper some days ago."

"Then you are not a member?"

"I am not, never have been, nor do I know any man who is a member. You may also state that I have this day made my affidavit to what I have just said."

It has been stated, as coming from Mr. R. S. Blair, that there will be no less than several libel suits brought against THE GAZETTE, growing out of the publication this morning. Who the plaintiffs will be

In these suits is not stated, but the supposition is that they will be men who were published as being members of the organization of Videttes.

A PERINENT QUESTION.

Which May Well Be Asked in Many Counties of Texas.

Special to the Gazette.

DENTON, Tex., Oct. 29.—THE GAZETTE's exposé of the dangerous and secret order of Videttes caused a regular clatter of excitement here to day. It has been the topic of conversation since the arrival of THE GAZETTE at 9 this morning. It has thrown a bomb of consternation into the camps of the Non-Partisans, and they can hardly be induced to talk about the matter at all.

Some of them whose honesty of purpose has always been conceded, however, denounce the thing in strong terms. The good people here are indignant over the matter and are not at all sparing of opprobrious epithets in their denunciation of such a diabolical conspiracy. The query now is, is there a club of said Videttes here in our midst? THE GAZETTE is highly pleased for its vigilance, and is demanding far beyond the supply. At least 1000 copies could have been sold here to day. There were farmers here to-day who wanted as many as fifty copies to take to their neighbors, and everybody wants one to file away for future reference.

THEY CAN'T WIN.

Hon. Fred Douglass Has No Hope that His Party Will Carry New York.

Louisville Courier Journal.

New York, Oct. 24.—Hon. Fred Douglass, the well known national leader of the colored people, who has been on the stump for Harrison since the beginning of the campaign, and has had unusual opportunities of getting the drift of public sentiment, takes a very despondent view of the outcome of the election, saying the Democrats are going to carry New York and Indiana sure.

In regard to the state of New York, Mr. Douglass says: "We have made strenuous efforts in the western part of the state, and are talking of coming to the Harlem river with 70,000 for Harrison. In my opinion we shall not reach the Harlem with 40,000, and I see little or no hope for carrying the state of New York. In fact, I individually have abandoned all hope of carrying the state."

Regarding Indiana, Mr. Douglass says: "I have recently returned from a thorough canvass of the Hoosier State, and I am satisfied in my own mind that it will be impossible to carry the state for Harrison in the coming election. Harrison's position on the labor question while in the Senate, and his utterance that \$1 a day was enough for any laboring man, have antagonized all organized labor in that state. In addition to this antagonism of the labor interest, the Democrats are thoroughly organized, are in earnest, and have made a thorough canvass of the state, having had an abundance of money, and being well supplied with speakers. We have found that all of our efforts on the tariff question have been neutralized, and have been of little or no avail." As to the situation in the Granger states, Mr. Douglass said that he was not acquainted with the situation there, but that as the election pivoted almost wholly on New York and Indiana, the political conditions of Illinois, Minnesota, Iowa, Wisconsin and Kansas were of small moment. Mr. Douglass said he would not weep if Harrison was defeated, nor would he rejoice if the Democrats were to succeed. He said that the country would be safe in any event.

This is the substance of a conversation which Mr. Douglass had on Friday at the Grand Central depot, while he was waiting for the train for Buffalo. Those to whom Mr. Douglass made the statements, and who vouch for their accuracy, are Mr. Charles T. Davis and Mr. James B. Rocks of Illinois, the latter being one of the supervisors of the pension bureau at Washington. They reported the facts to the Democratic national committee.

A FAMILY TRAGEDY.

A Colored Man Kills His Wife and Baby and Attempts to Commit Suicide.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., Oct. 29.—Information from Guthrie, Todd county, gives the details of an inhuman tragedy that occurred near there Saturday. A colored man named Smith became infuriated at his wife and beat her to death. Being pursued by the Sheriff he then grabbed up their little child and, upon reaching the barn yard he threw the child into a pond where it was drowned. The officer attempted to arrest him. Smith also sprang into the water resolved to perish rather than be taken alive, but help was called and he was drawn out and carried to Springfield, Tenn., where he is in jail. The feeling is so strong against him that he may be lynched. The tragedy had its origin in family matters, Smith being jealous of his wife.

Further Attachments at Greenville.

Special to the Gazette.

GREENVILLE, Tex., Oct. 29.—Additional attachments were sued out and levied to-day on the drug and liquor stock and property of A. E. Patterson of this city, who was closed by attachments on Saturday. The more prominent attaching creditors and amounts of their respective claims are as follows:

J. H. Nall, merchant of Wolfe City, this county, sued out in the District court a writ for \$450.

Bartley Johnson & Co. of Louisville, Ky., out of the County court for \$473.55.

Grabfelder & Tochen of the same city, out of the County court for \$298.

Casey & Swasey of Fort Worth, Tex., out of the same court for \$398.

The liabilities will approximate \$20,000. The assets will not materially vary from the first report.

Illinois Judge Dead.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 29.—Judge William J. McAllister, of the Appellate Court, one of the most noted men on the bench of Illinois, died very suddenly at his home in Ravenswood this morning.

The Orbits in Manitoba.

CHICAGO, Ill., Oct. 29.—A dispatch from Winnipeg says the government has not yet resigned, owing to the urgent representations of its friends that such action would precipitate a grave state of affairs and leave the province in a hopeless condition. The constitutional course would be to resign immediately, but the government feels that the people are a unit with them in their course. The province continues terribly excited.

ROUND-UPS.

The Result of Experiments in Texas Feeds, as Explained by an Intelligent Commentator.

A New Trick to Disable Race Horses—Feeding Yeastling Oulver for the Spring Race—General Live Stock News.

THE test to determine the contagious nature of Texas fever has been vigorously prosecuted until the present time, and it has just been conclusively proven that natives will contract the disease through contact with Texas cattle.

About a month ago a number of healthy natives were placed in a pen at the stock yards with cattle from Texas which had the fever, and while the opinion was soon voiced that the disease had become contagious, the fever in the infected natives was allowed to progress until Friday of this week they were then slaughtered and carefully examined by several veterinarians, who state that they found unmistakable evidences of the fever. The bladder of each animal contained unhealed secretions, inflammation was apparent in the kidneys in a high degree, gangrene had set in, and both spleen and stomach were enlarged and diseased. This explodes the theory held by some that a period of at least forty days must elapse, before the fever is manifested. In conversation with old-time cattlemen the belief is stated that the disease is generally contracted by eating from the same pens or hay racks with Texas, or perhaps on the same pasturage, holding that the virus is contained in the secretions of the mouth. An actual experience was reported: Two droves of natives in transit from one point to another were treated in exactly the same manner with a single exception; one lot was unloaded at a feeding station and temporarily placed in a pen and given a portion of hay where Texas cattle had recently been fed. The animals in this drove took the fever, with the subsequent death of a number thereof, while the other bunch, which were practically the same cattle, escaped unscathed. There is a grain of comfort in knowing that with the advent of frost the disease disappears each year.—[Watson in National Stockman.]

The latest diabolism on the race track is the use of the hyperdermic needle. It seems that some men who have had the entry of the best tracks lately have managed to inject morphine into the horses that they wanted to disable temporarily. They have done it without exciting suspicion by hiding the injection needle in one hand and seeming to slap the horse on the buttocks with some such natural remark as "Here's the horse for my money." The drug takes effect in half an hour, and the horse goes around the track with his head down, the wreck of his former self. If not too frequently done, it does not harm the animals.

Messrs. Stodiar & Howard bought a herd of steer cattle in Tom Green county in the spring, and at the time of purchase the hair being long the brands were difficult to read and a number passed the inspector by ear marks more than anything else. Mr. Howard, in a recent visit to San Angelo, took a list of the cattle that had since been discovered, were driven northward by mistake, and has been paying the owners their value. The cattle men there appreciate the gentleman's honesty.

San Angelo Standard: John S. Andrews, of Cleburne, bought fifty-four head of last spring's calves from Saxon Keith this week, and shipped them to that point where they will feed and market in the spring. He also purchased a number from the Malloy cattle company. We could not learn the prices paid. This is something new in the feeding line, but Mr. Andrews tried it last winter and made money at it.

A couple of Cherokee cattlemen armed Davis were in Fort Worth yesterday in search of two-year-olds for winter feeding. The did like every one else who has come to Fort Worth recently on a like mission, they failed to get what they wanted. They will go west to prosecute their search. They give a report of the condition of affairs in the Nation.

Dr. J. L. Edwards of Ennis, a pioneer cattle buyer in this country, has been in Colorado City for some days, and with B. G. Stevedore, has purchased the I O A beavers, some 3400 head, said to be the animals. They have shipped a few hundred of them and will gather the remainder during November.

The Clipper says: Steer cattle of almost any age are good property now and meet with a ready sale at fair prices.

Steer cattle can once more hold their tails and sport as of yore. All ages are in active demand and sales are made every day.

J. N. Ellis was in San Angelo last week, and while there bought 200 two and 300 three-year-old steers from Sim Francis. Terms private. Tuesday Mr. Ellis bought from Smoky Brown 200 one and seventy two-year-old steers at \$8 and \$12.—[Colorado Clipper.]

In the lower part of West Texas a large portion of the sheepmen have not bred their ewes this fall. This will make it all the better for the woolgrowers of that section who will, without exception, raise fine lambs next spring.

The Spur ranch has raised about 1500 tons of sorghum forage this season, and during the winter will make the experiment of feeding 300 spayed heifers. This plan will be watched with interest by neighboring stockmen.

C. C. Pool of West Texas, who has been in the Indian Territory for some time, has returned home. He will feed about 2000 steers during the winter, having purchased a big lot of corn and hay for that purpose.

E. C. Stokes, a Crockett cowman, came to the city yesterday with a drove of porkers for the local trade.

It is not thought any great activity will obtain in local live stock dealings until after the elections.

W. V. Johnson of the Dixie ranch, not far from Colorado City, has made a contract with the Continental Cattle Company of Hall county to pasture 8000 head

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